Docket No.: END919980055US3

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: G. J. Armezzani et al.

Group Art Unit:

IBM Corporation

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1701 North Street

Title: ELECTRONIC PACKAGE WITH

STACKED CONNECTIONS AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

Endicott, NY 13760

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 8 - before "Background of the Invention", please add:

-- Cross Reference to Copending Application

This application is a divisional application of S/N 09/282,842, filed 03/31/99.--

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel all claims and add the following new claims:

--26.

An electronic package comprising:

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